

A Lincoln

PRESIDENT LINCOLN'S COTTAGE
AT THE SOLDIERS' HOME

July 15, 2014

Ms. Stephanie Hau
Chesapeake Environmental Management, Inc.
42 N. Main Street
Bel Air, MD 21014

Dear Ms. Hau,

Thank you for your recent contribution of \$15,000 to President Lincoln's Cottage. Your dedicated support will be matched by the Robert H. Smith Family Foundation to further help preserve President Lincoln's Cottage – the only National Monument in the country that does not receive government operating support – and provide transformative experiences for thousands of visitors each year.

We recently hosted teenagers from around the world for the second annual Students Opposing Slavery (SOS) International Summit, a week-long training with modern abolitionists and experts in the field of human trafficking. President Lincoln's Cottage, where Lincoln developed the Emancipation Proclamation, was an ideal venue for meaningful education and action for these young people pursuing an end to this humanitarian crisis. As Chesapeake Environmental Management seeks to improve the human condition with its philanthropy, we are glad that you view preserving "the Cradle of the Emancipation Proclamation" a worthy cause.

Thank you again for your generous donation and for supporting our efforts to offer the public an inspiring view of the life and presidency of Abraham Lincoln. We look forward to welcoming your staff for a tour!

Sincerely,



Erin Carlson Mast
Executive Director

Your gift of \$15,000 was received on July 11, 2014. No goods or services, as defined by the Internal Revenue Service, have been provided in consideration of this gift.

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